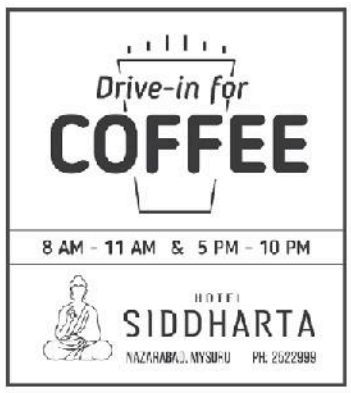

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Back after 5 years...?

Heli rides likely this Dasara

First launched in 2016, *Agasadhinda Mysuru* heli rides last took off during 2019 Dasara

A file photo of helicopter joy ride in Mysuru.

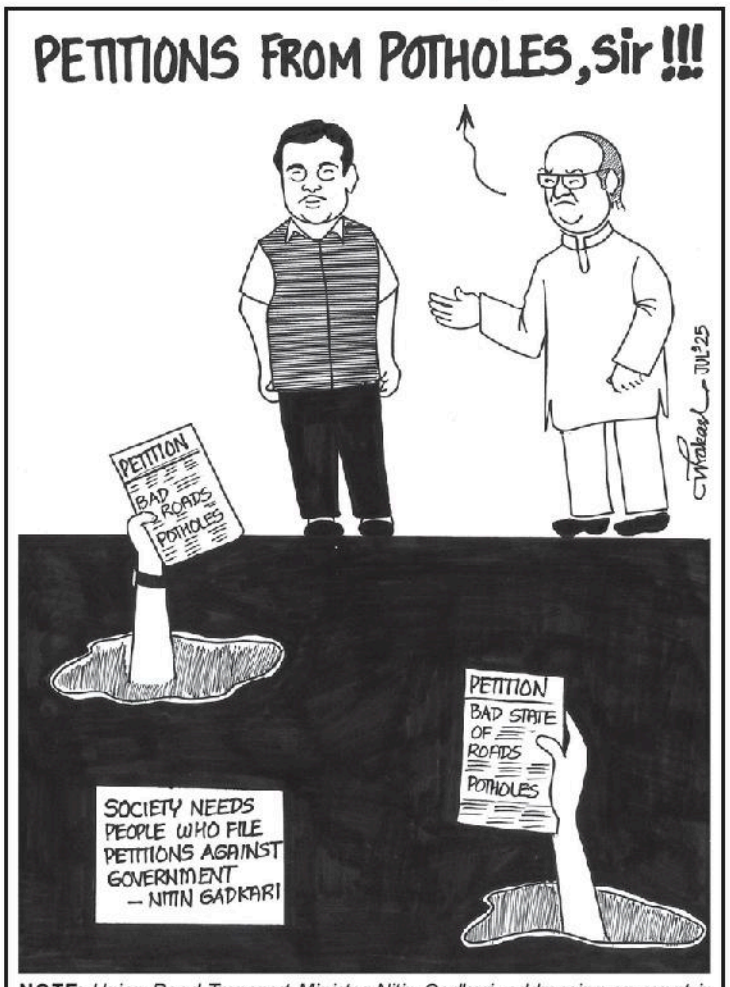
Mysuru, July 24 (AG&BCT)- There is a 50:50 chance that tourists could once again enjoy helicopter rides during this year's Dasara, offering panoramic views of Mysuru's landmarks at affordable rates. The State Government has submitted a proposal to the Defence Ministry to organise a Dasara Air Show, and if approved, the heli rides will be an added attraction.

The Mysuru District Administration has expressed willingness to allow private operators to conduct the rides, provided they comply with all safety and mandatory guidelines. Chipsan Aviation, which previously offered heli ride services in Mysuru, has shown interest in operating one helicopter for this year's festivities.

(See HELI RIDES on page 7)

TEASER

By N. Prakash



NOTE: *Union Road Transport Minister Nitin Gadkari, addressing an event in Nagpur recently said: "There should be some people in the society who file petitions against the Government in the Court. This disciplines the politicians. (This is) because even Ministers in the government cannot do the work that a Court order can do. Popular politics comes in the way of politicians and Ministers."*

Appeal against actor Darshan's bail

SC raps HC

"Perverse exercise of judicial discretion"

New Delhi, July 24 (Agencies)- The Supreme Court (SC) this morning reserved its order on the Karnataka Government's plea seeking cancellation of bail granted by the Karnataka High Court (HC) to actor Darshan and others accused in Renukaswamy murder case. A Division Bench of Justices J.B. Pardiwala and R. Mahadevan reserved the verdict after hearing arguments from both sides and directed lawyers representing some of accused to file written submissions within a week.

Darshan

The Bench pulled up HC for how bail was granted, questioning whether judicial discretion was applied judiciously. "We are sorry to say, but does HC dictate the same kind of orders in all bail applications?" the Bench asked. "What's troubling us is approach of HC. Look at how it has been done. Is that understanding of a High Court judge? We could understand if it were a sessions judge. But a HC judge committing such a mistake?"

Calling the order a "perverse exercise of discretion," the SC said it was examining whether HC had applied its mind before granting bail in such a serious case. "We will not make the same mistake HC did," the Bench said. "We are a little serious because it is a case of murder and conspiracy."

(See SC RAPS HC on page 7)

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Thursday 24th July 2025

'Chiguru' music event tomorrow

Lahari *Srivardhan* *Srilalitha* *Srihari Bhat* *Sujayeendra*

Mysuru, July 24- Ganabharathi has organised a special music programme 'Chiguru' by young talents on July 25 at Veene Seshanna Bhavana, Adichunchanagiri Road, Kuvempunagar, as follows:

6 pm to 7.15 pm: Karnatak Vocal Concert by Lahari Dongre, accompanied by Srivardhan on mridanga and Srilalitha on violin.

7.15 pm to 8.30 pm: Hindustani Flute Concert by Srihari Bhat with Sujayeendra Rao on tabla.

One-day entrepreneurship workshop for women

Mysuru, July 24- The Department of Skill Development, Entrepreneurship and Livelihood, Government of Karnataka, Bengaluru and Centre of Entrepreneurship Development of Karnataka (CEDOK), Mysuru, have jointly organised a one-day entrepreneurship awareness workshop for women on July 25 at the Institution of Engineers on JLB Road in the city.

The women entrepreneurs will be briefed about the assistance given by financial institutions/ government incentives, project selection, future training and other industry-related matters.

Women who are above the age of 18 and passed SSLC examination can contact the Office of Joint Director, CEDOK, Mysuru or Mob: 77601-45784 or 83107-38819 or 63616-11136.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

STEPS INVOLVED IN WORSHIP: ***Lord Narasimha protected His devotee Prahlada and Rama protected the people of Ayodhya, in addition to saving the rishis from the clutches of demons and Sri Krishna handed over the Bhagavad Gita — a treasure trove containing the essential concepts and principles that people should follow to lead a righteous life. As Lord Ranganatha in "Archa" form, He extends His blessings to those who worship Him. His dwelling abode, Srirangam, is called Bhuloka Vaikuntam. The first syllable of the Vedas, "OM", is also called "pranava," and Lord Ranganatha's temple vimana is known as the "Pranavakara Vimanam." It has four kalasas symbolising the four Vedas. Srirangam is the first of the 108 Vaishnava divya desa kshetras. It is believed that Lord Ranganatha's divine power is present in all the deities of other kshetras.***

Valayappettai Ramachariar said in a discourse that Swami Vedanta Desika followed the lines of Thiruppanazhwar in worshipping Lord Ranganatha. The Azhwar composed "Amalanadhipiran" in praise of the Lord and worshipped Him starting from the divine feet to the head. Swami Vedanta Desika composed "Bhagavad Dhyana Sopanam," in which he extolled the various qualities of the Lord. The Acharya tells us how to worship the Lord. "Sopanam" refers to steps. Dhyanam relates to worship. The Acharya enjoyed worshipping the Lord's divine body step by step from the feet to the head. The smiling face and the lotus eyes of the Lord attract the devotees, who feel that their eyes refuse to take away from enjoying the glimpse of God.

People are caged in a prison-like body and by worshipping Lord Ranganatha, they can attain liberation.—*In The Hindu*

NEWS SPARKLERS

A transparent car hood with live fish

Beijing: A man recently incurred the wrath of animal lovers after showing off an unusual car hood ornament featuring live fish and crustaceans.

The owner of a Li Auto L9 luxury SUV from Liaoning, China, has been accused of animal cruelty after turning a transparent layer of plastic on the hood of his car into a mobile aquarium full of large fish and crabs.

The man who came up with the ingenious idea was even interviewed about his bizarre invention and said that he came up with it during a fishing trip when he forgot to bring a container for the fish. He noticed the transparent plastic layer on the hood of his SUV and thought to himself that he could keep the fish in there.

The crafty motorist decided to fill the space with water and insert the catch of the day in there. His hood started attracting attention the moment he returned to the city, and videos of it started going viral.

Coach forced students to donate blood

Taiwan: A Taiwanese women's football coach has come under fire for allegedly forcing students to donate blood hundreds of times in order to receive school credits mandatory for graduation.

Zhou Tai-ying, a prominent women's football trainer, has been dubbed the "vampire" coach by Taiwanese media, because during her time at the National Taiwan Normal University (NTNU), she allegedly forced students to give blood numerous times, on consecutive days, donations that she claimed were linked to 32 school credits necessary for graduation.

Terrified of not being able to finish school unless they did the coach's bidding, some students had their blood collected hundreds of times in a matter of days, with some claiming that harvesters could no longer find viable veins.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Eczema Basics

Eczema (atopic dermatitis) is a chronic condition marked by dry, itchy, and inflamed skin.

By Dr. Ravi S – Consultant Dermatologist & Cosmetologist Manipal Hospitals, Mysore

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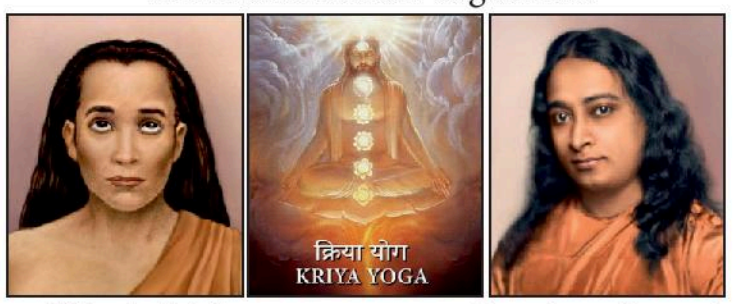
** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

Special meditation programme

To commemorate Mahavatar Babaji's Meeting with Paramahansa Yogananda



Mahavatar Babaji *Paramahansa Yogananda*

Mysuru, July 24- July 25 is observed as a Sacred Day to commemorate the divine meeting between Mahavatar Babaji and Paramahansa Yogananda — a spiritually momentous event that laid the foundation for the worldwide spread of Kriya Yoga.

This sacred science of spiritual evolution was brought to humanity through the lineage of Mahavatar Babaji, Sri Lahiri Mahasaya, Swami Sri Yukteswar Giri and Sri Paramahansa Yogananda, the Founder of Yogoda Satsanga Society of India in 1917.

On this auspicious occasion, Yogoda Satsanga Dhyana Kendra, Mysuru, is conducting a special meditation programme on July 25 from 5.30 pm to 7.30 pm at its centre in Saraswathipuram.

For details, contact Mob: 98803-97525 or 98807-18924.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM	KABINI DAM	HARANGI DAM
Maximum **124.80 feet**	Maximum **2,284 feet**	Maximum **2,859 feet**
Today's level **123.80 feet**	Today's level **2,283.63 feet**	Today's level **2,856.50 feet**
Last year's level **123.25 feet**	Last year's level **2,282.35 feet**	Last year's level **2,856.27 feet**
Yesterday's level **123.68 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,283.63 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,856.46 feet**
Today's Inflow **12,843 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **12,122 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **6,343 cusecs**
Today's Outflow **10,755 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **12,000 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **6,162 cusecs**

REALLY...?

- *There are over 1,400 species of bats worldwide.*
- *Night insects have the most to fear from bats.*
- *Bats are the only flying mammal. The longest-living bat is 41.*

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Doctor: *I think a walk on empty stomach will do you good.*

Patient: *Whose stomach shall I walk on?*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 86.31
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 117.22
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 23.50
1 Euro	= Rs. 101.65

VOICE OF THE READER

Curb defacing of public property

Sir,

This is with reference to the news item titled ***"Direction boards defaced"*** in *Star of Mysore* dated July 8.

Currently, defacing the public property is happening on State-run buses, direction boards, pillars of circles, walls and doors of public toilets, temple corridors, bus stands, railway stations and at so many other places without any control.

I strongly suggest that such defacing activities should be curbed with necessary legal actions and penalising the ones who are involved.

Simplest way of identifying the culprits is by taking note of the phone numbers provided on pamphlets / bills / letters/ advertisement stickers etc., pasted on public properties.

These phone numbers are those of the persons who have originally printed these to get public attention and then given it to paid persons to paste wherever they wish.

Once we start the process of penalising such irresponsible persons, definitely these would come to rest at the shortest period of time.

—H.N. Ramesh
Srirampura
11.7.2025

Shravana discourse series at Suttur Mutt in city

Mysuru, July 24- Shravana Masa Pujanushtana and Discourse Series have been organised from July 25 to Aug. 23 at Suttur Mutt, foot of Chamundi Hill.

Every morning, special puja will be held. Mass prayer from 6 pm to 6.30 pm; Discourse on 'Shivatatva Chintamani,' written by Lakkanna Dandesha, will be held daily from 6.30 pm to 7.30 pm.

Dr. K. Anantharamu and Dr. B.V. Vasanthkumar will deliver the discourse. Vaachana by Vid. K. Ramachandra.

The Discourse Series will be inaugurated by Kannada and Culture Department Assistant Director Dr. M.D. Sudarshan tomorrow at 6 pm.

Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji will grace the occasion.

Nanjangud's Sri Karyaswami Mutt Seer Sri Maheshwara Swamiji will be present. Transport arrangements have been made for the public to attend the event daily from J.P. Nagar, JSS Layout and JSS Mahavidyapeetha, according to a press release.

Plea to temporarily shift two-wheeler parking at Agrahara Circle

Mysuru, July 24 (KS)- The residents of Sunnadakeri have urged K.R. Traffic Police to temporarily shift two-wheeler parking at Agrahara Circle till the UGD works are completed. A petition in this regard has been submitted to K.R. Traffic Police by the residents.

Following UGD problems, Agrahara Road has been closed and two-wheelers are being parked on both sides of the road leading to traffic issues. Hence parking of two-wheelers can be temporarily shifted to some other place which can be revoked after the UGD works are over, said the residents.

The residents have also stated that as hundreds of two-wheelers and four-wheelers are being parked daily, there were chances of accidents and as a precautionary measure, K.R. Traffic should take preventive steps.

Hathkargha Mela at Urban Haat

Mysuru, July 24 (VVH&BS)- MLA Tanveer Sait inaugurated Hathkargha Mela, a State Handloom Exhibition and Sale at JSS Mysore Urban Haat in the city yesterday. The expo will be open up to Aug. 5 from 10 am to 9 pm. The entry is free.

The expo is organised under the joint auspices of Development Commissioner (Handlooms), Ministry of Textiles, Government of India, New Delhi, along with the Commissioner and Director, Department of Handlooms and Textiles, Government of Karnataka, Karnataka State Handloom Weavers' Co-operative Federation Ltd., Cauvery Handlooms, Bengaluru, Deputy Director, Department of Handlooms and Textiles, Mysuru and JSS Mahavidyapeetha.

Speaking after inaugurating the event, Sait said, the public should make judicious use of the Mela that has been organised to provide an opportunity for the people to gain access to the handicrafts of different States under one roof, without any middlemen interference.

The indigenous silk sarees including Molkalmur saree, Ilkal saree, embroidered sarees, cotton sarees, kanjivaram sarees, mats, bed sheets, handicraft products from Kerala, tussar sarees from Bihar and Jharkhand, Kantha sarees, Baluchori and Butik silk sarees from West Bengal, dress materials of various States are available.

Over 75 hand weavers from Chamarajanagar and various other districts are taking part in this Mela which is offering 20% discount on the products.

M.B. Dyaberi, former Principal Secretary and Board Member of JSS Mahavidyapeetha, G.P. Srinivas Murthy, Managing Director, Cauvery Handlooms, Bengaluru, Dr. C. Prabhakaran, Deputy Director, Weavers' Service Centre, Union Ministry of Textiles, Bengaluru, B.J. Ganesh, President, Cauvery Handlooms, Bengaluru, H.K. Madesh, Development Officer, Karnataka Industrial Areas Development Board (KIADB), Mysuru, B.S. Somashekhar, Deputy Director, Department of Handlooms and Textiles, Mysuru and others were present.

No online CESC services from July 25 to 27

Mysuru, July 24- Owing to scheduled Information Technology system upgradation and server maintenance, the online services of Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation (CESC) such as online bill payment, new connection applications, name and tariff change requests, cash counter services and other online services will be disrupted from 8.30 am on July 25 till 10 am on July 27 across CESC service areas including VV Mohalla, Hootagalli, Kuvempunagar, Ramakrishnanagar, Central Sub-Division, Chamundipuram, NR Mohalla, Jyothinagar, Nanjangud, K.R. Nagar, Hunsur, Chamarajanagar, Kollegal, Mandya, Malavalli, Hassan, Channarayapatna, Arasikere and Madikeri, according to a press release.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Mythological Theatre Festival

Mysuru Jilla Kannada Vrutti Rangabhoomi Kalavideyara Sangha, in association with the Department of Kannada & Culture, Mysuru and Bengaluru, has organised 36th Annual Mythological Theatre Festival (Pouranika Ranga Sambhrama) at Town Hall in city on July 28 at 10 am. The programme is supported by Sri Lakshmi Venkateshwara Drama Scenery Mulluru Devaraju's Lightings, Sri Mahadeshwara Sounds & Mike, Ravi Varakodu.

Free dental check-up

As part of Oral Hygiene Day, the Periodontology Department of JSS Dental College and Hospital, Mysuru, will be providing free check-up and dental hygiene treatment & awareness to the public at discounted rates at its premises on Aug. 1 from 9 am to 4 pm, according to a press release from the Department HoD Dr. Suman Basavaraj. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2548346.

Selected for International Award

Internationally renowned Bharatanatyam guru from Mysuru, **Dr. K. Kumar,** has been selected to receive the prestigious international 'Acharya Kala Saakara' award by Griffin College, London, at the award ceremony to be held tomorrow (July 25) at TAG P.S. Dakshinamurthy Auditorium in Chennai. This institution is the first Indian Fine Arts Examination Board recognised by the United Kingdom Awards Authority and is committed to the promotion and preservation of Indian classical arts. A recipient of the Karnataka Kalashree award, Dr. K. Kumar has served as a Professor and Head of the Department of Dance at the University College of Fine Arts, University of Mysore.

Ph.D awardee

B.S. Theerthavathy has been awarded Ph.D in Chemistry by the Bharathiar University, Coimbatore (Tamil Nadu), for her thesis 'Studies on Chemical Constituents and Biological Potential of Zanthoxylum Ovalifolium Wight, Clausena Indica (Dalz) Oliver and Acronychia Pedunculata (L) Miq.' submitted under the guidance of Dr. Shaukath Ara Khanum.

Small-scale traders call off protest over GST notices

GST notices issued to nearly 9,000 small traders have been withdrawn: CM

Bengaluru, July 24 (BCT)- Small-scale traders, including bakeries, condiment stores and other small businesses and vendors protesting against Goods and Services Tax (GST) notices linked to Unified Payments Interface (UPI) transactions exceeding Rs. 40 lakh annually have called off their agitation yesterday.

The strike was withdrawn as Chief Minister Siddaramaiah announced that GST notices to nearly 9,000 small traders have been withdrawn and no action will be taken on them.

Karnataka Karmika Parishat President Ravi Shetty Byndoor said, "The Commercial Taxes Department assured us that the GST notices will be withdrawn and recipients need not respond. We were also assured that arrears mentioned in the notices will not be pursued. Our key demands have been addressed."

Thousands of traders had earlier staged symbolic protests by wearing black bands and ribbons, and had planned a Statewide bandh on Friday. As part of the protest, bakery and condiment shop owners refrained from selling milk and allied products such as curd, buttermilk and tea — their main sources of income.

Byndoor said they had boycotted a meeting called by Siddaramaiah but later withdrew the protest after receiving assurances from the Commercial Taxes Department.

Confusion among small traders

At the CM's meeting, the Federation of Karnataka Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FKCCI) highlighted confusion among small traders over GST notices, which often included loan amounts and personal transactions.

They urged the Government to let traders resolve issues directly with the Commercial Tax Department, allow adequate time to settle dues, launch a dedicated helpline and conduct awareness programmes. They also sought a one-time waiver of old tax arrears.

Clarifying the Government's stance, Siddaramaiah said the notices were issued only to traders whose UPI transactions exceeded Rs. 40 lakh, primarily to prompt GST registration.

He assured that traders dealing in exempt goods like milk, vegetables, meat, and fruits would not be taxed, but those liable under the law must comply. He further stated that old arrears would be waived, provided traders register under GST and begin paying taxes going forward.

FKCCI President M.G. Balakrishna lauded the CM, stating, "The Government's assurance that goods traders will not be taxed and arrears will be waived upon registration has restored traders' confidence."

He added, "The CM has emphasised that the Government stands with the poor and working class. Empowering small traders boosts purchasing power and drives grassroots economic growth. FKCCI will intensify support by organising handholding programmes and digital literacy workshops to facilitate GST registration and compliance."

Poster campaign against GST burden

Bengaluru, July 24 (BCT)- City-based KMPK Trust has accused the State Government of imposing excessive GST burdens on small traders, pushing them into financial distress.

In a poster-pasting campaign held outside Freedom Fighters' Park on Narayan Shastri Road, members displayed placards reading "Protect Small Traders from Tax Struggles" to draw the Government's attention.

The Trust condemned what it called the Government's repressive move of issuing overnight GST notices demanding lakhs of rupees from small vendors, claiming it threatened the livelihoods of countless families.

"Many small vendors earn their daily sustenance through modest trades. Before issuing GST notices, there must be efforts to raise awareness. How these notices were served is unjust," the Trust stated in its appeal.

Trust Members Vikram Iyengar, Parmesh Gowda, Pramod Gowda, Abhi, S.N. Rajesh and others took part in the campaign.

Mysuru third cleanest city

'Pada Puja' to Pourakarmikas

Mysuru, July 24 (BS)- With Mysuru city ranked as the third cleanest city among 'Super Swachh League Cities' in the latest Swachh Survekshan Survey, former Corporator M.V. Ramprasad felicitated the Pourakarmikas of Ward No. 55 at Tagadur Ramachandra Rao Park in Chamundipuram here yesterday. He also performed *Pada Puja* and *Aarti* to the sanitation workers.

Addressing the gathering, Ramprasad said that, it is indeed a matter of joy as it boosts tourism potential of the city. Special thanks to the Pourakarmikas who worked day and night, along with the general public, media and various organisations and associations. Let us wish that, Mysuru city secures first rank in the next survey. The cleanliness is not just the task of City Corporation alone, but also the participation of the public and organisations and associations assume significance.

Former Corporator M.V. Ramprasad performing** Aarti **to Pourakarmikas after showering flower petals on them at Tagadur Ramachandra Rao Park at Chamundipuram in the city yesterday.

He stressed on strengthening the Control Room at MCC, apart from deploying modern machineries and manpower. Moreover, the officials should think innovative and incorporate better ideas into practice.

MCC Zonal Commissioner Manjunath Reddy, Environmental Engineer Jyothi, Health Inspector Shivaprasad, Supervisor Shankar, social workers G. Raghavendra, Lakshminarayan, Niranjan, Manjunath, Dharmendra, Somesh, Ravi, Pavana, Chetan, Ramaiah, Shivalingachar, Madhu, Shivu, Naganna and others were present.

Mysuru Photo Journalists pay rich tributes to KBG

Mysuru, July 24 (GA&BCT)- The Mysuru Photo Journalists Association (MPJA) paid a heartfelt tribute to late K.B. Ganapathy (KBG), Founder-Editor of *Star of Mysore* and *Mysuru Mithra*, at the Institution of Engineers-India (IEI) auditorium on JLB Road in city yesterday.

MPJA President Pragathi Gopalakrishna, speaking on the occasion, recalled KBG's immense contribution to journalism. "Through *Star of Mysore* and *Mysuru Mithra*, KBG ensured timely and comprehensive dissemination of news to Mysureans. These publications have made lasting contributions to the city, which has long nurtured small newspapers. He built a newspaper institution with great discipline and upheld journalistic integrity," he said.

He noted that many individuals who once worked with *Star of Mysore* and *Mysuru Mithra* have gone on to serve in prominent State-level, national-level and even international media houses. "The high standards maintained by KBG were such that some organisations, upon learning a candidate had worked at these publications, would immediately value their experience and would not even conduct intensive interviews," Pragathi Gopalakrishna added.

Speakers also highlighted that KBG's contributions extended beyond journalism to the development and environmental preservation of Mysuru. As a mark of respect, it was proposed that a prominent traffic circle in the city be named after him.

Among those present were MPJA Gen. Secretary M.N. Lakshminarayana Yadav, Treasurer A. Nandan, photojournalists K.H. Chandru, Anurag Basavaraj, S. Udayashankar, Hampa Nagaraj, Ravi Gavimath, Naveen & Arun and journalists M.T. Yogesh Kumar, Jayanth, Ram and K.P. Nagaraj.

State Government to conduct fresh caste survey from Sept. 22

Report to be submitted by the end of October; 1.65 lakh enumerators to carry out survey

Bengaluru, July 24 (KMS& VNS)- Government of Karnataka will conduct a fresh caste survey from Sept. 22 to Oct. 7 for which the final report will be submitted by the end of the October, announced Chief Minister Siddaramaiah here yesterday.

An official notification regarding the caste survey is expected to be issued by the Department of Backward Classes Welfare today and the Backward Classes Welfare Commission is likely to also announce the modalities and methodologies for the caste survey. The decision to conduct a fresh survey was taken after a detailed discussion at the Chief Minister's 'Cauvery' residence.

Scientific and Transparent Survey: CM Siddaramaiah, during the meeting, instructed the concerned Ministry and Department to ensure the survey was conducted in a scientific and transparent manner to ensure there were no drawbacks and complaints. "The State Govt. will be conducting a comprehensive survey covering the entire seven crore population from Sept. 22 to Oct. 7 which will be model for the entire country," he said.

He also instructed the officials concerned to ensure no caste or community were left out of the survey. Unlike the previous Kantharaj Commission survey, which used 54 questions and was conducted manually, the State Government has decided to use mobile applications in the new survey and to also include additional components. The Government will also form a Committee to oversee the survey operations and to also study the methodology of the similar survey being conducted by Telangana Government.

1.65 lakh enumerators: The State Government will be appointing 1.65 lakh enumerators to conduct the caste survey. With requirement of additional human resource, it has been decided to utilise the services of the staff belonging to other departments apart from the teachers. The CM also instructed that the Departments should work in co-ordination to ensure the survey was conducted successfully.

It may be noted that the previous survey conducted by Kantharaj Commission and Jayaprakash Hegde Commission has attracted backlash from not only from Opposition parties — BJP & JD(S) — but also from various communities including Veerashaiva & Vokkaliga and Seers of various Mutts.

Nominations to Legislative Council, Boards & Corporations before Aug. 11

Bengaluru, July 24 (KMS& DM)- With the State Government notifying the schedule for the Monsoon Session of the State Legislature that is set to commence from Aug. 11, the Siddaramaiah-headed State Congress Government is likely to complete nominations to the Legislative Council and Chairman and members of State-run Boards and Corporations ahead of the Session.

CM Siddaramaiah and his Deputy D.K. Shivakumar, who is also the KPCC President, are flying to New Delhi this evening again to meet the Congress High Command in this regard, it is learnt.

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ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ನಗರ ಮತ್ತು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಯೋಜನಾ ಕಾಯ್ದೆ 1961ರ ಪ್ರಕರಣ 14(ಎ)ರನ್ವಯ ಮೈಸೂರು ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಕಸಬಾ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಕುರುಬಾರಹಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಸ.ನಂ.40ರ 05ಎಕರೆ 19ಗುಂಟೆ ಮತ್ತು 41ರ 04ಎಕರೆ 05ಗುಂಟೆ ಒಟ್ಟು 09ಎಕರೆ 24ಗುಂಟೆ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣದ ಜಮೀನುಗಳನ್ನು ಕೆ.ಟಿ.ಪಿ.ಪಿ. ಕಾಯ್ದೆ 1961ರ ಪ್ರಕರಣ 14(ಎ) ರನ್ವಯ ವಿತೇಪ ವ್ಯವಸಾಯ ವಲಯದಿಂದ ವಸತಿ ವಲಯಕ್ಕೆ ಭೂ ಉಪಯೋಗ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಮಾಡುವಂತೆ ಮೆ॥ ವಿನಾಯಕ ಎಂಟರ್ ಪ್ರೈಸಸ್ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಅಶ್ವಿನ್ ಪೈ ಇವರು ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಭೂಉಪಯೋಗ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯಿಂದ **"ಈ ಜಮೀನುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ವಿನ್ಯಾಸ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಪಡಿಸುವುದರಿಂದ ಬಡವರು ಮತ್ತು ಮಧ್ಯಮ ವರ್ಗದವರಿಗೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಿಗೆ ಯೋಗ್ಯ ಬೆಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳು ಲಭ್ಯವಾಗುತ್ತವೆ. ವಿನ್ಯಾಸ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ನಡೆಯುವ ಸಂಧರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೂಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಮಿಕರಿಗೆ ಉದ್ಯೋಗ ದೊರಕುತ್ತದೆ ಮತ್ತು ಈ ವಿನ್ಯಾಸ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಯಿಂದ ಸುತ್ತಲಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಹೊಂದುತ್ತದೆ"** ಎಂದು ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಹಿತಾಸಕ್ತಿ ಕುರಿತು ಮನವಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಸದರಿ ಜಮೀನಿನ ಭೂ ಉಪಯೋಗದ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಯಾವುದೇ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರು ಈ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯು ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟವಾದ ದಿನಾಂಕದಿಂದ 15 ದಿನಗಳೊಳಗಾಗಿ ನಗರ ಯೋಜಕ ಸದಸ್ಯರು, ಮೈಸೂರು ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರ, ಮೈಸೂರು–570005 ಇವರಿಗೆ ಮುದ್ರಾಂ ಅಥವಾ ನೋಂದಾಯಿತ ಅಂಚೆ ಮೂಲಕ ತಲುಪಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

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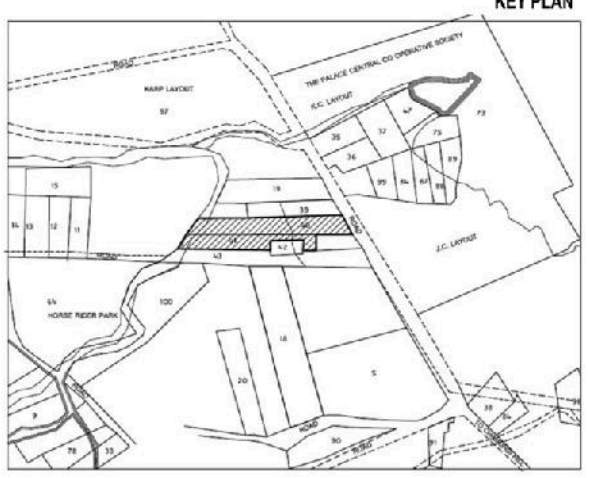

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DECODING MYTHOLOGY

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God as Generator, Organiser, Destroyer

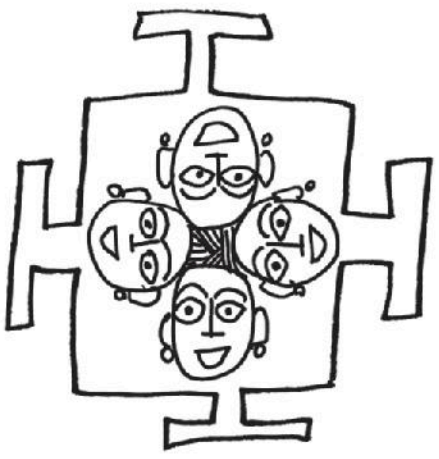
Hindu mythology distinguishes between the world and life. The world is all about physics and chemistry. Life is about biology. Life is about hunger and fear. Without hunger and fear, there is no life.

When Biblical God creates the world, it includes the inanimate (sun, stars, land, sea) as well as animate (plants, animals, humans, angels). But in Hindu texts, creation and destruction is all about hunger and fear, the seed of life.

Brahma is the generator of hunger. Hunger is what establishes life, turns an object into an organism. It is what makes the predator seek out food and the prey fight for life. Shiva is the destroyer of hunger, and so the ascetic, the one who liberates everyone from suffering and insecurity. Between the two is Vishnu, the organiser of hunger and fear, who strives to establish contentment by drawing attention to other people's hunger and the cost of eating.

Mythological characters are the ancient equivalents of modern jargons, a shorthand, to communicate complex ideas. They are metaphors that need to be understood, not translated. They can adorn walls as posters and impress visitors. But like jargon, they are as useful as their usage.

So, focus on the content rather than the form. Do not get distracted by religious connotations that politicians, activists and gurus indulge in. Mythology then becomes a toolkit, a medium, to explore contentment.



The rishi who told stories of the creator, organiser and destroyer, and designed characters like Brahma, Vishnu and Shiva, was an ancient Indian 'seer' who could see what others could not. He turned sight into insight and insight into reflection and created tools to enable others to do the same.

Sight shows us the 'food' that people chase, that they cling to, and that they give away. Sight reveals that all 'food' takes the form of resources (Lakshmi), power (Durga) and knowledge (Saraswati). Insight reveals the underlying hunger, insecurity and curiosity shaping all decisions and actions.

We can witness the attached Brahma, the detached Shiva and the content Vishnu outside us. Reflection reveals our own hunger, insecurity and curiosity. We can witness the Brahma, Shiva and Vishnu inside us, who can generate, organise and destroy hunger and fear around us.

A Brahma is consumed by his own hunger. And his imagined hunger. He hunts for opportunities. He extracts value and labour. He creates enterprises. The world exists for his pleasure and benefit. He does not think of others. He creates borders for his pleasure. He creates hierarchies to make others inferior.

He wants to be the big shark in the shark tank, the big dog in the dog-eat-dog world, the big rodent in the rat race. He does not realise that he creates the world around him. He assumes this world is real, not generated by his fears and insecurities. He does not realise how much anxiety he creates around him. He thinks he is the victim.

Shiva simply withdraws from the world. He destroys the world by shutting his eyes to it. He withdraws into his caves, high above in the mountains. Contrary to popular belief, Shiva does not destroy the world like a 'terminator' by breaking things. He simply rejects social structures. The borders and the hierarchy. He does not validate other people's identity.

Hence he is shown in art in a crematorium, covered with ash, dancing with Brahma's skull. He knows value is subjective. Measurements do not exist in nature. Animals dominate not by choice. Humans dominate out of choice to cope with insecurity and anxiety, in their quest for meaning.

The organiser is content. Vishnu, and his avatars, see the hunger and fear of others and sees how no one thinks of the ecosystem. In fear, everyone is self-absorbed. Everyone is eating, no one is feeding. In nature, all trees exist in an ecosystem. All plants exist in an ecosystem. There is no species that is special. No individual that exists without consuming others.

All that consumes must be consumed to maintain balance. Surplus is unhealthy. In anxiety humans hoard, create artificial scarcity, hence wars, the imagined war zone of corporations. Governments today are running like corporations trying to be 'great' rather than trying to take care of citizens. Like Ravana, whose personal ambition results in Lanka getting burnt.

Like Duryodhana, whose personal jealousy and hatred causes the people of Hastinapur to fight a war that has nothing to do with them. The organiser does not compete. Competition unravels the fabric of culture. He is content. Only the content can bother other people's hunger. Those fighting wars will never bother with diversity or inclusion. Brahma is too busy feeding himself to feed others.

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KSCA Maharaja Trophy T20 Tournament 2025

Defending champions Mysore Warriors to face Bengaluru Blasters on Aug. 11

Mysuru, July 24 (VNS)- Defending Champions Mysore Warriors will start their title defence at this year's KSCA Maharaja Trophy T20 Tournament 2025 facing last year's runner-up Bengaluru Blasters in their first match at the M. Chinnaswamy Stadium on Aug. 11. While, Gulbarga Mystics will take on Mangaluru Dragons in this year's opening match, Mysore Warriors will start their campaign through the second match of the tournament.

The Karnataka State Cricket Association (KSCA) announced the schedule for this year's tournament yesterday. While the league matches will be held till Aug. 25, the play-offs will begin from Qualifier I and Eliminator on Aug. 26 followed by Qualifier II on Aug. 27 and Finals on Aug. 28.

This year the tournament will feature star players such as Karun Nair, Manish Pandey and Prasidh Krishna (Mysore Warriors), Mayank Agarwal (Bengaluru Blasters), Devdutt Padikkal and Abhinav Manohar (Hubli Tigers), Shreyas Gopal (Mangaluru Dragons), Vyshak Vijaykumar (Gulbarga Mystics) and Vasuki Koushik and Vidwath Kaverappa (Shivamogga Lions).

First match of the day commences at 3.15 pm, second match will begin from 7.15 pm. Matches will be telecast live on *Star Sports 1 English, Star Sports 1 Kannada* and *FanCode*.

However, no spectators are allowed inside the Stadium.

Mysore Warriors Schedule

[All matches to be played at M. Chinnaswamy Stadium, Bengaluru]

Aug. 11 – Mysore Warriors Vs Bengaluru Blasters, Time: 7.15 pm
Aug. 12 – Mysore Warriors Vs Gulbarga Mystics, Time: 7.15 pm
Aug. 14 – Mysore Warriors Vs Mangaluru Dragons, Time: 3.15 pm
Aug. 16 – Mysore Warriors Vs Hubli Tigers, Time: 7.15 pm
Aug. 17 – Mysore Warriors Vs Shivamogga Lions, Time: 7.15 pm
Aug. 18 – Mysore Warriors Vs Bengaluru Blasters, Time: 3.15 pm
Aug. 20 – Mysore Warriors Vs Gulbarga Mystics, Time: 3.15 pm
Aug. 21 – Mysore Warriors Vs Mangaluru Dragons, Time: 3.15 pm
Aug. 23 – Mysore Warriors Vs Hubli Tigers, Time: 3.15 pm
Aug. 24 – Mysore Warriors Vs Shivamogga Lions, Time: 7.15 pm
Aug. 26 – Qualifier I, Time: 3.15 pm
Aug. 26 – Eliminator, Time: 7.15 pm
Aug. 27 – Qualifier II, Time: 7.15 pm
Aug. 28 – Final, Time: 7.15 pm

53rd birthday of Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda

Mega Job Fair, Health Check-Up Camp held

Mysuru, July 24 (BLU&BS)- The 53rd birthday of Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda was celebrated at J.K. Grounds here today by holding a Mega Job Fair and Health Check-Up camp, which was attended by hundreds of needy persons.

Adichunchanagiri Mutt, Mysuru Branch Head Sri Someshwaranatha Swamiji, who graced the event, described the birthday celebration as a model for others and called upon the people to make good use of them.

Sir Khazi of Mysuru Hazarath Moulana Mohammed Usman Shariff blessed the MLA to reach dizzying heights in public life through his service activities.

Narasimharaja MLA and KPCC Working President Tanveer Sait said, instead of waiting for the opportunity, we have to pursue with the job in hand.

Referring to the recent development over the issue of tax demand notice to bakeries and condiment shops in Bengaluru, towards GST by the Commercial Tax Department, Sait said, GST falls within the ambit of Central Government. But now, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Revenue Minister Krishna Byre Gowda, also the Member of GST Council, have decided to withdraw notice.

City Congress President R. Murthy, who was the chief guest, said, in a short span of two years, Harishgowda has undertaken development works worth Rs. 900 crore in Chamaraja Constituency.

MLA Harishgowda said that, he was thankful to all who had helped him directly and indirectly in organising the event.

"Since eight years, the Job Fair is being organised, with hundreds of companies taking part in the same. This year, 52 companies are taking part in Job Fair alongside a health camp for the benefit of people," he added.

Historian Prof. P.V. Nanjaraje Urs, former Mayor Pushpalatha Chikkanna, District Congress President Dr. B.J. Vijaykumar, President of Karnataka State Federation of Co-operative Societies S. Chandrashekar, President of Indira Gandhi Block Congress Committee Ravi Manchegowdana Koppal and others were present.

BJP to hold seminar on population and caste census on July 26

Mysuru, July 24 (MK&DM)- BJP State OBC Morcha President Raghu R. Kautilya said that with the Union Government notifying the population census, which also includes an enumeration of castes, a seminar on 'Jaati Ganati: Hinnele-Munnele' will be held under the aegis of Samajika Nyaya Jagruti Vedike at Hotel Rio Meridian on New Sayyaji Rao Road here on July 26 at 11 am.

Addressing a press meet at BJP Office in Chamarajapuram here this morning, Raghu said that MLC A.H. Vishwanath will inaugurate the seminar. BJP National OBC Morcha President Dr. K. Lakshman, who is also a Rajya Sabha MP, MLC N. Ravikumar, University of Mysore former Vice-Chancellor Dr. Hemantha Kumar, former Commercial Tax Officer Jagannath Sagar and others will take part.

Invited leaders of OBC and other marginalised communities from Mysuru, Mandya, Hassan, Chamarajanagar and Kodagu will also take part, he added.

Pointing out that the population census, the country's first digital census that also includes caste enumeration, he said that the aim is to provide a comprehensive understanding of caste demographics in making policy decisions. The census will gather data on caste identities, moving beyond the limited information collected on Scheduled Castes (SCs) and Scheduled Tribes (STs), in previous censuses.

Lashing out at the State Congress Government for creating confusion on caste census, he charged CM Siddaramaiah of discarding Kantharaj Commission Report on caste census conducted 10 years ago at a cost of Rs.165 crore, at the behest of the Congress High Command.

Asserting that the State Government has no authority to conduct caste census, he alleged that the Congress Government's decision for carrying out a fresh caste census was nothing but another waste of public money. The Karnataka Government, instead of extending co-operation for the Centre's population census and caste enumeration, was out to create confusion again in the minds of the public, he added.

MLA T.S. Srivatsa, City BJP President L. Nagendra, District President Kumbralli Subbanna and others were present.

SC has not given clean chit to CM in MUDA scam

Reacting to presspersons on the sidelines of the press meet, MLA T.S. Srivatsa said that the Supreme Court has only annulled the notice issued by Enforcement Directorate (ED) to B.M.Parvathi, wife of Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Urban Development Minister Byrathi Suresh in the multi-crore MUDA alternative sites allotment scam and has not exonerated the CM and his family members in the case. Srivatsa also wondered whether the SC has told that the 50:50 ratio alternative sites allotment scam, involving the CM and his family members, need not be investigated. The SC has only told that the ED notices were not in accordance with the Law, he said.

Darshan's bail: SC raps HC

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Pavithra Gowda root cause

The Court also addressed the lawyer representing co-accused Pavithra Gowda, stating, "All this happened because of you. If you had not been there, A2 (Darshan) would not have been interested. If A2 was not interested, others would not have been interested. So, you are the root cause of the problem."

The lawyer argued that Pavithra had received objectionable messages and had no direct call record links to the accused involved in the kidnapping or murder. However, the Bench clarified it was not delving into "meticulous arguments," adding, "We have to see if the prosecution's case inspires confidence or not."

The Court also questioned the High Court's dismissal of eyewitness testimonies from Kiran and Puneeth, both security guards. "Why does the High Court say they are not reliable witnesses?" the Bench asked. "Our last question: how has the High Court dealt with these two statements while exercising discretion?"

Appearing for the State, senior advocate Sidharth Luthra argued that call data records, location pins, DNA on clothes and vehicles, and other evidence corroborate the statements of witnesses. "All of this has been corroborated," he said.

The Bench further expressed shock over the nature of evidence retrieved from one accused. "You recovered a mobile phone from accused number 10. Why would someone click pictures of the assault?" the Court asked.

When informed that the pictures were forwarded to Darshan and showed the deceased pleading for mercy, the Bench remarked, "Unbelievable. These people are posing for photographs? There is an assault going on, and they're posing? I've understood this cult now that worships actors."

Luthra added, that all the accused were members of Darshan's fan club. "People do anything for him just to have access," he said.

Concluding the hearing, the Bench said, "We will not pronounce a verdict of acquittal or conviction. But we will look into the conduct of the High Court and take a call," the Judges said.

Heli rides likely this Dasara

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Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy told *Star of Mysore* this morning that the administration has not yet received formal proposals.

"As they are private operators, we cannot invite them. But if they come forward and adhere to all safety precautions, protocols and guidelines, we can consider granting permission. Once finalised, we can promote the facility as Dasara attraction," he said.

"Private operators will take complete responsibility for the rides, while the District Administration will extend all necessary support," he added.

Helicopter rides, first introduced in 2016 under the banner 'Agasadhinda Mysuru,' were last held during Dasara in 2019.

The 10-minute ride will cover major landmarks offering passengers a bird's-eye view from over 20,000 ft.

Harikrishnan, CEO of Chipsan Aviation Pvt. Ltd., said the company currently operates seven helicopters and is evaluating schedules. "We will look into operating the Dasara heli ride with one chopper and will decide after reviewing our schedules from Sept. 15 to the first week of October," he said. Meanwhile, Thumby Aviation Pvt. Ltd. has ruled out participation in this year's event as all its helicopters are committed to the Char Dham Yatra pilgrimage season in Uttarakhand.

Octogenarian dies as bus hits

Mysuru, July 24 (BLU&KS)- An octogenarian was killed on the spot when a KSRTC bus ran over his head at Vivekananda Circle in city this morning.

The deceased has been identified as D.J. Parshwanathiah (81), a resident of Srirampura in city.

At about 7 am today, Parshwanathiah was proceeding on his electric scooter (KA-09-JV-2829) towards Vivekananda Circle to purchase vegetables and when he took a turn, a KSRTC bus (KA-57-F-1658), which came from KSRTC Depot brushed against the scooter resulting in him falling to his right side and rear wheel of the bus ran over his head.

Kuvempunagar Traffic Police, who rushed to the spot, conducted mahazar, registered a case, shifted the body to MMC&RI mortuary besides seizing both the vehicles involved in the mishap.

MYSORE TRAIN TIMINGS

FROM MYSURU RAILWAY STATION TOWARDS KSR BENGALURU

Train No.	From Station	To Station	Mysuru Departure	Bengaluru Arrival	Days of Service
16586	Murudeshwar	KSR Bengaluru	3.45 am	6.15 am	Daily
16217	Mysuru	Shirdi	5.00 am	7.30 am	Monday
12610	Mysuru	Chennai	5.15 am	7.55 am	Daily
17326	Mysuru	Belagavi	5.40 am	8.40 am	Daily
20663	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	6.00 am	7.45 am	Daily Except Thur Vande Bharat
66554	Mysuru	Bengaluru	6.10 am	9.15 am	Daily
16215	Mysuru	Bengaluru	6.45 am	9.35 am	Daily
22687	Mysuru	Varanasi	7.30 am	9.55 am	Tue & Thu
20623	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	8.20 am	10.50 am	Daily
56281	Chamarajanagara	KSR Bengaluru	9.05 am	1.05 pm	Daily Passenger
19668	Mysuru	Udaipur	10.05 am	12.15 pm	Thu [Humsafar Exp]
12975	Mysuru	Jaipur	10.30 am	12.45 pm	Thu & Sat
12578	Mysuru	Darbhanga	10.30 am	1.35 pm	Friday
12613	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	11.30 am	2.00 pm	Daily
16315	Mysuru	Kochuveli	12.45 pm	4.25 pm	Daily
20608	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	1.05 pm	2.45 pm	Daily Except Wed Vande Bharat
17307	Mysuru	Bagalkot	1.25 pm	4.30 pm	Daily
66552	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	1.45 pm	5.00 pm	Daily Passenger
12008	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	2.15 pm	4.10 pm	Daily Except Thur
20659	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	2.50 pm	5.20 pm	Daily
12786	Mysuru	Kacheguda	3.15 pm	5.45 pm	Daily
16535	Mysuru	Pandharpur	3.45 pm	6.25 pm	Daily
16232	Mysuru	Mayiladuturai	4.15 pm	6.50 pm	Daily
16219	Chamarajanagar	Tirupati	5.10 pm	8.10 pm	Daily
16236	Mysuru	Tuticorin	6.20 pm	9.00 pm	Daily
06237	Mysuru	Manamadurai	6.35 pm	9.15 pm	Mon
16592	Mysuru	Hubballi	6.50 pm	9.40 pm	Daily
16210	Mysuru	Ajmer	7.10 pm	10.10 pm	Tue & Thu
16227	Mysuru	Talguppa	7.30 pm	10.30 pm	Daily
06526	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	7.50 pm	11.05 pm	Daily
22681	Mysuru	Chennai	8.15 pm	10.50 pm	Wednesday
16022	Mysuru	Chennai	9.00 pm	11.45 pm	Daily
06269	Mysuru	SMVT Baiyyappanahalli	9.50 pm	12.40 am	Daily
66580	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	10.25 pm	1.15 am	Daily
22135	Mysuru	Renigunta	11.10 pm	1.30 am	Friday
22818	Mysuru	Howrah	11.45 pm	1.55 am	Sunday

DEPARTING FROM KSR BENGALURU AND ARRIVING MYSURU

Train No.	From Station	To Station	Bengaluru Departure	Mysuru Arrival	Days of Service from Bengaluru
06270	SMVT Baiyyappanahalli	Mysuru	12.15 am	4.30 am	Daily
16218	Shirdi	Mysuru	12.55 am	3.35 am	Thursday
22817	Howrah	Mysuru	1.55 am	3.35 am	Sunday
66579	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	2.05 am	5.30 am	Daily Passenger
16021	Chennai	Mysuru	4.00 am	6.45 am	Daily
16220	Tirupati	Chamarajanagar	4.30 am	7.10 am	Daily
16228	Talguppa	Mysuru	5.05 am	8.20 am	Daily
22682	Chennai	Mysuru	5.20 am	7.45 am	Friday
16231	Mayiladuturai	Mysuru	5.40 am	8.35 am	Daily
16591	Hubballi	Mysuru	6.00 am	8.55 am	Daily
16235	Tuticorin	Mysuru	6.15 am	9.30 am	Daily
12785	Kacheguda	Mysuru	6.30 am	10.20 am	Daily
16536	Solapur	Mysuru	7.50 am	10.45 am	Daily
17308	Bagalkot	Mysuru	8.10 am	12.00 pm	Daily
16316	Kochuveli	Mysuru	8.30 am	11.15 am	Daily
66551	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	9.15 am	1.30 pm	Daily Passenger
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20660	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	11.30 am	2.00 pm	Daily
12976	Jaipur	Mysuru	1.00 pm	4.00 pm	Wed & Fri
19667	Udaipur	Mysuru	1.25 pm	4.40 pm	Wed [Humsafar Exp]
20624	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	1.50 pm	4.20 pm	Daily
12614	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	3.15 pm	5.35 pm	Daily
06525	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	4.45 pm	7.40 pm	Daily Passenger
56282	KSR Bengaluru	Chamarajanagar	3.35 pm	6.35 pm	Daily Passenger
12577	Darbhanga	Mysuru	5.00 pm	8.00 pm	Thursday
17325	Belagavi	Mysuru	5.35 pm	8.45 pm	Daily
16216	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	6.15 pm	9.05 pm	Daily
22688	Varanasi	Mysuru	6.30 pm	10.00 pm	Mon & Sat
66553	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	7.00 pm	10.15 pm	Daily
12609	Chennai	Mysuru	8.00 pm	10.50 pm	Daily
16585	KSR Bengaluru	Mangaluru	8.25 pm	11.20 pm	Daily Except Friday
20664	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	9.30 pm	11.30 pm	Daily Except Thur Vande Bharat
22136	Renigunta	Mysuru	11.10 pm	1.35 am	Saturday
16209	Ajmer	Mysuru	11.50 pm	2.25 am	Tue & Sun

TOWARDS HASSAN, ARSIKERE, SHIVAMOGGA, DAVANGERE, HAVERI, HUBBALLI, DADAR, NEWDELHI & BACK

Train	From Station	To Station	Departure	Arrival	Days of Service
16206	Mysuru	Talguppa	6.00 am	1.25 pm	Daily
11036	Mysuru	Dadar	6.15 am	5.45 am (next day)	Sunday (Mysuru)
56266 (Exp)	Mysuru	Arsikere	6.30 am	10.25 am	Daily
16208	Mysuru	Yesvantpur	7.15 am	10.10 am (Hassan)	Daily
16225	Mysuru	Shivamogga	10.15 am	4.40 pm	Daily
16222	Mysuru	Talguppa	2.00 pm	11.00 pm	Daily
56268	Mysuru	Arsikere	5.45 pm	10.00 pm	Daily
12781	Mysuru	Hazrat Nizamuddin	7.30 pm (Fri)	6.45 pm (Sun)	Friday
17301	Mysuru	Belagavi	9.30 pm	9.00 am	Daily
16585	Mysuru	Murdeshwar	11.40 pm	12.55 am	Daily
17302	Belagavi	Mysuru	6.00 pm	5.55 am	Daily
06213	Arsikere	Mysuru	5.00 pm	9.25 am	Daily
16226	Shivamogga	Mysuru	11.15 am	5.05 pm	Daily
16207 (Exp)	Yesvantpur	Mysuru	4.45 pm (Hassan)	8.10 pm	Daily
56265	Arsikere	Mysuru	5.30 pm	9.15 pm	Daily
11035	Dadar	Mysuru	9.30 pm	10.00 pm (next day)	Thursday (Dadar)
16221	Talguppa	Mysuru	6.15 am	3.35 pm	Daily
16205	Talguppa	Mysuru	2.50 pm	10.30 pm	Daily
12782	Hazrat Nizamuddin	Mysuru	5.10 am (Mon)	2.20 am (Wed)	Monday
16586	Murdeshwar	Mysuru	2.10 pm	3.30 am	Daily

TOWARDS MYSURU TO CHAMARAJANAGAR AND BACK

Train	From Station	To Station	Departure	Arrival	Days of Service
56202	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	5.00 am	6.35 am	Daily Passenger
16220	Tirupati	Chamarajanagar	7.30 am (Mys)	9.20 am	Daily
56210	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	8.20 am	10.10 am	Daily Passenger
56206	Mysuru	Nanjangud	9.15 am	10.00 am	Daily
56204	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	11.45 am	1.30 pm	Daily
56208	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	3.45 pm	5.20 pm	Daily
56282	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	6.40 pm	8.40 pm	Daily
56281	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	7.15 pm	9.00 pm	Daily
56205	Nanjangud	Mysuru	10.25 pm	11.15 pm	Daily
56207	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	10.40 pm	12.30 pm	Daily Passenger
16219	Chamarajanagar	Tirupati	3.30 pm	5.00 pm	Daily
56203	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	5.30 pm	7.20 pm	Daily
56209	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	8.50 pm	10.35 pm	Daily
56201	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	9.45 pm	11.40 pm	DailyPassenger

Abhivruddi's Silk India-2025 expo from tomorrow

Mysuru, July 24- In celebration of the auspicious Varamahalakshmi Festival, Abhivruddi has organised 'Silk India-2025,' a spectacular 11-day silk exhibition at Nanjaraja Bahaddur Choultry on Vinobha Road in city from July 25 to Aug. 4 from 10.30 am to 8.30 pm.

India remains the world's leading producer of silk, offering a diverse range of varieties that cater to both domestic and international demand. Among the most prominent types are Mulberry, Tussar, Eri and Muga, each cultivated under specific climatic and geographic conditions. Notably, Tussar and Muga are wild silks produced by silkworms that feed on organically grown trees, primarily in the States of Bihar, Assam and Chhattisgarh.

"Silk India-2025 aims to bridge the gap between traditional weavers and customers by offering direct access to a wide variety of authentic silk products — eliminating the middleman," said T. Abhinand, organiser from Abhivruddi.

The expo will feature a rich collection of silk sarees and garments from across India, including Arini, Kanjeevaram, Uppada, Gadwal, Paithani, Dharmavaram, Mangalagiri and Pochampalli silk sarees, Tussar suits, Crepe & Georgette sarees, Chiffon silk, Raw silk, Jute silk, Dhaka silk and handloom silk-cotton blends, Designer and wedding sarees, stoles, silk shawls and much more.

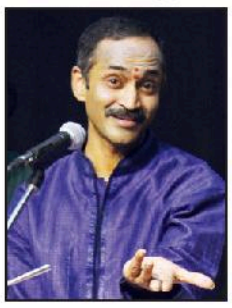
In addition, the expo will showcase handblock print sarees and suits, silk bed covers, designer dress materials and borders, kurtis, Matka and Assam Muga fabrics, Apoorva silks, Baluchari, Dhaka Masli, Gicha saris, boutique and Kantha sarees, Zardosi and Chikankari work, Bhagalpur suits, Printed silk, Banarasi, Maheshwari, Chanderi, Kota silk, Mulberry silk with temple borders, Banaras Jamdani and other hand-woven masterpieces. [Mob: 63641-65152]

Kalasuruchi's story telling

G.S. Kalavathi

Mysuru, July 24- As part of 'Kathe Kelona Banni-890' programme, Kalasuruchi has organised a story telling by G.S. Kalavathi Madhusudhan, writer and Founder State President, Karnataka Rajya Spandana Siri Vedike, Hassan, at Suruchi Rangamane, #476, Chitrabhanu Road, Kuvempunagar, Mysuru, on Saturday (July 26) from 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm. For details, contact Mob: 92435-81097 or 99459-43115.

Music concert at Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha on July 26



Pattabhirama Pandit

Vid. Bhaskar

Vid. Jayachandra

Vid. Omkar

Mysuru, July 24- Sri Thyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust has organised a classical vocal concert by Vid. Pattabhirama Pandit at Sangeeta Kalanidhi Mysore Vasudevacharya Bhavana, Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, on JLB Road in city on July 26 at 6 pm, in memory of Y.N. Ananth, an ardent student and rasika of music. He will be accompanied by Vid. H.N. Bhaskar on violin, Vid. K.U. Jayachandra Rao on mridanga and Vid. Omkar G. Rao on ghata.

Artiste profile

Pattabhirama Pandit, hailing from a family of musicians, was initially trained in music by his mother and subsequently by Vidu. Vallabham Kalyana Sundaram and Sangita Kalanidhi S. Ramanathan. Later he was under the tutelage of the versatile guru, Sangeetha Kalanidhi Palghat K.V. Narayanaswamy and Vidu. Padma Narayanaswamy. He is one of the most promising vocalist of the present generation. His performance marked with adherence to sampradaya, bani and soulful singing with an eloquent voice, builds instant rapport with the audience.

Vid. H.N. Bhaskar, a brilliant mesmerising violinist, was initially trained by his father H.K. Narasimhamurthy and later under Sangeetha Kalanidhi M.S. Gopalakrishnan.

Vid. K.U. Jayachandra Rao, known for his exemplary percussion skills, is the disciple of Vidwans E.P. Narayana Pisharadi and T.R. Rajamani, son of Palghat Mani Iyer.

Vid. Omkar G. Rao, one of the finest ghata artistes known for tonal quality, is trained under Vid. V.R. Chandrashekar and Vid. T.A.S. Mani.

For details, contact Ph: 0821-2512422, according to Trust Vice-President Vid. H.K. Narasimhamurthy.

Businessmen protest against harassment; seek Police action

Mysuru, July 24 (MK&BS)- Hundreds of traders staged a protest in the city yesterday, demanding the externment of Ramesh Kumar Mali, accused of extorting money from merchants in Santhepet, Shivarampet and Bandipalya.

The traders alleged that Mali has been repeatedly demanding 'hafta' from them and threatening those who refuse.

The protest, organised under the banner of Mysore Traders Suraksha Welfare Association, was held at the premises of Sri Tripura Bhairavi Mutt's Anjaneyaswamy Temple at Shivarampet First Cross.

Traders shared their ordeal and demanded immediate action to extern Mali from the district, citing multiple Police cases already registered against him.

Former Corporator Prashanth Gowda said, several cases against Mali are pending at Devaraja, Krishnaraja (KR) and Hebbal Police Stations. "On Tuesday at around 10.15 pm, Mali, along with his son Chandraprakash, went to the shop of Baboota Ram in Shivarampet and demanded Rs. 1 lakh, threatening to kill him if he refused," Gowda alleged.

A case has since been registered at Devaraja Police Station, and traders have urged the Police to invoke stringent measures to extern Mali from the district. Later, the protesters submitted a memorandum to Devaraja Police Inspector Raghu, pressing for immediate action.

Santhepet traders Praveen Jain, Baboota Ram, Swaroop Ram, Uma Ram, Vaktaram, Kanthilal, Dhanesh Mehta, Amrit Purohit and several others took part in the protest.

Farmers stage protest in front of KIADB office

Mysuru, July 24 (BLU&DM)- Alleging that the State Government has come forward for acquisition of agricultural and gomala lands for establishment of an Industrial Township in Srirangapatna, farmers staged a protest in front of Karnataka Industrial Areas Development Board (KIADB) office on KRS Road on Tuesday.

"The KIADB has initiated the process for acquisition of 48 acres of agricultural land and about 70 acres of gomala land near Beechanakuppe village in Srirangapatna taluk for establishment of an Industrial Township," the protesters alleged.

Stating that they were entirely dependent on agriculture for their livelihood, the farmers urged the KIADB authorities to drop land acquisition in the better interests of farmers. Claiming that the Govt. was acquiring land for the benefit of Corporate and Capitalists, they maintained that the Govt. was eager to handover the land to them.

Urging the Government and the KIADB to drop acquisition plans, they warned of intensifying their stir in front of the KIADB office, if the authorities fail to respond to their plea.

KIADB, Mysuru Special Land Acquisition Officer (SLAO) Venkataraju, who spoke after receiving a memorandum from the farmers, said that several farmers are willing to part with their land, while some others are opposing acquisition. However, the matter will be forwarded to the Government, he said.

Farmer leaders Nanjundegowda, Puttamaadu and others were present during the protest.

Gold chain stolen from bag at Sub-Urban Bus Stand

Mysuru, July 24 (KS)- Miscreants have stolen a gold chain from a vanity bag when a woman was boarding a bus at Sub-Urban Bus Stand in city.

The woman, who lost her gold chain, is 48-year-old Vidyarathna, a resident of Bengaluru and the thieves have made away with 32 grams gold chain which she had kept in her vanity bag.

On July 10, Vidyarathna had come to her brother's house in city and the next day, she came to Sub-Urban Bus Stand to catch a bus to Hassan.

In her complaint, she has stated that there was a huge rush while she was boarding the bus. After getting into the bus she opened her vanity bag to take out her mobile phone during which she noticed the box containing the gold chain missing and lodged a complaint a few days later.

State Transport workers strike from Aug. 5

Mysuru, July 24 (SPN&DM)- Despite the Government's warning that it would invoke the ESMA (Essential Services and Maintenance Act) to thwart the State Transport employees strike, employees of the 4 State-run Transport Corporations (KSRTC, NWKRTC, KKRTC and BMTC) will launch an indefinite strike across the State from 6 am on Aug. 5, seeking fulfilment of their demands.

In a press statement released on Wednesday, the Joint Action Committee of State Transport Corporations' Unions, which included AITUC affiliated KSRTC Staff and Workers Federation, CITU affiliated Akhila Karnataka Transport Workers Federation, CITU affiliated KSRTC Employees Federation, KSRTC SC/ST Employees Association, KSRTC SC/ST Officers and Staff Welfare Association and KSRTC Employees Union, said that the KSRTC staff would not be scared by the State Government's act of invoking ESMA to stop the strike.

Meanwhile, Akhila Karnataka Transport Workers Federation President Dr. K.S. Sharma speaking to press persons at Hubballi yesterday, said that the demands chiefly include payment of 38-months pending wages and revision of wages effective from 2024, among others.

Maintaining that the State Government should revise wages of Transport workers once in 4 years, he said the Government should have revised the wages in 2020 itself as the revised wages which was done in 2016 ended in 2019. Dr. Sharma further said, ahead of the **indefinite strike, a mass hunger stir would be held at Freedom Park in Bengaluru from 11 am to 4 pm on July 30.**

Sugar factory workers to stage 'Vidhana Soudha Chalo' on Aug. 11

Mysuru, July 24 (MTY&KS)- Condemning sugar factory owners and management boards for failing to increase wages as per rules, sugar factory workers have decided to hold a convention in Bengaluru and stage a 'Vidhana Soudha Chalo' protest on Aug. 11, coinciding with the Legislature Session.

Announcing this at a press meet at Pathrakarthara Bhavan in Mysuru yesterday, Karnataka Sugar Workers' Federation President B. Nagaraju said, there are 80,000 workers employed in 79 sugar factories across the State.

"From 1960 to 1989, sugar factory workers received wages as per the Central Wage Board for Sugar Industry recommendations. From 1990 onwards, wages were fixed through the Tripartite Sugar Wage Committee. However, under the 7th Pay Agreement, factory owners are still not paying fair wages. To highlight this issue, workers will gather in Bengaluru after the Session begins and march to Vidhana Soudha," Nagaraju said.

He further warned that most sugar factories will begin sugarcane crushing on Oct. 25. "If the 8th Pay Commission agreement is not implemented by then, work at all sugar factories will stop from September itself, and we will launch an indefinite strike," he cautioned.

Karnataka Sugar Workers' Federation General Secretary D.N. Krishnegowda and leaders M.E. Partha, H.S. Girish, Siddegowda, Puttamadegowda, Ramakrishna, Javaregowda, Kubera and Ramesh were present.

Man goes missing from Varuna

Ramachandra

Mysuru, July 24 (KS)- A 34-year-old man has gone missing since June 17 from Varuna Police limits in the taluk.

The missing man is Ramachandra. He is 5.5 ft. tall, round faced, oily red complexioned, has the name 'Padma' tattooed on his chest, sports beard and moustache and was wearing a yellow shirt and blue jeans pant at the time of going missing.

Those having any information about the missing person, may contact Varuna Police Station on Ph: 0821-2594411 or the District Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2444800.

Retired soldier Srinivas passes away

Srinivas

Pandavapura, July 24- Srinivas (53), a retired CRPF soldier, passed away on Tuesday in the town.

He leaves behind his wife Sumithra, one son, one daughter and a host of relatives and friends.

Srinivas, who joined CRPF in 1991, retired from service in 2012 and was residing in the town. He took ill recently and passed away on Tuesday. Last rites were held in the town yesterday afternoon, according to family sources.

WORD OF THE DAY

Contrite

Pronunciation: kun-TRYTE (adjective).
Meaning: Contrite is a formal adjective used to describe someone who feels regret for their bad behaviour or something, such as an apology, that shows such regret.
Origin: Props to Elton John: sorry really does seem to be the hardest word. But saying it (in something other than a nonapology, of course) is an important part of being contrite — that is, feeling or showing sorrow and remorse for one's bad behaviour. Contrite traces back to the Latin verb conterere, meaning "to pound to pieces," "to crush, "to wear out or down," or "to exhaust mentally or physically." In Medieval Latin — the Latin used in Medieval times especially for religious or literary purposes — conterere came to mean "to crush in spirit with a sense of one's sin," or "to render contrite." Anglo-French speakers borrowed a form of the verb conterere and made it the adjective contrit, which was in turn adopted into English in the 1300s.
Example: "At the restaurant, late into the meal, 'Honey, Honey,' from the 'Mamma Mia' soundtrack began to play, with [Amanda] Seyfried's 22-year-old voice issuing through the restaurant's speakers. The waitress came over, contrite. The song was just part of the usual play list. 'Listen, I love having a stake in pop culture,' Seyfried reassured her. 'It's really nice.'" — Alexis Soloski, The New York Times, 11 Mar. 2025.

THE ODD WORD

Cambium

Soft tissue found in trees.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Cry wolf

Meaning: The phrase 'Cry wolf' is used to indicate that someone is exaggerating or raising a false alarm.
Origin: The origin of the expression 'Cry wolf' comes from one of Aesop's Fables, *The Boy Who Cried Wolf.* In the story, a young shepherd amuses himself by calling for help, saying a wolf is threatening his flock when nothing is really happening. He cries wolf so often that when a wolf actually menaces the flock, no one comes to help.
Example: "Don't pay attention to Peter; he's only crying wolf."

QUOTE BOX

A man might befriend a wolf, even break a wolf, but no man could truly tame a wolf. **—George R.R. Martin**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

i i
BAG BAG

Answer: Bags under the eyes.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Fuel Sys. Controller
4 Surmounting
8 Bristle-like appendages of certain grasses
12 WWII battleground
13 Idi Amin's title
14 Appealing to the senses
15 Do not forget?
17 Tartan skirt
18 Violin make
19 Amer Inst. of Aeronautics and Astronautics
21 In addition
23 Scours
27 Lofty in thought
31 Gold measure
32 Largest active volcano in Japan
33 Bristle-like parts of a plant
35 Grad. Rec. Exam.
36 South African expanse
38 Nunnery
40 Respect
42 Had a meal
43 Beginning at
45 Not suitable
49 City in Gujarat
52 Pessimistic
54 Privy to (2,2)
55 Revise copy
56 Open land
57 Understanding term? (1,3)
58 Of ___ : of the past
59 Kazakh. once

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

R	I	V	E		T	E	X	T		A	G	E
A	P	E	X		A	M	B	O		G	N	S
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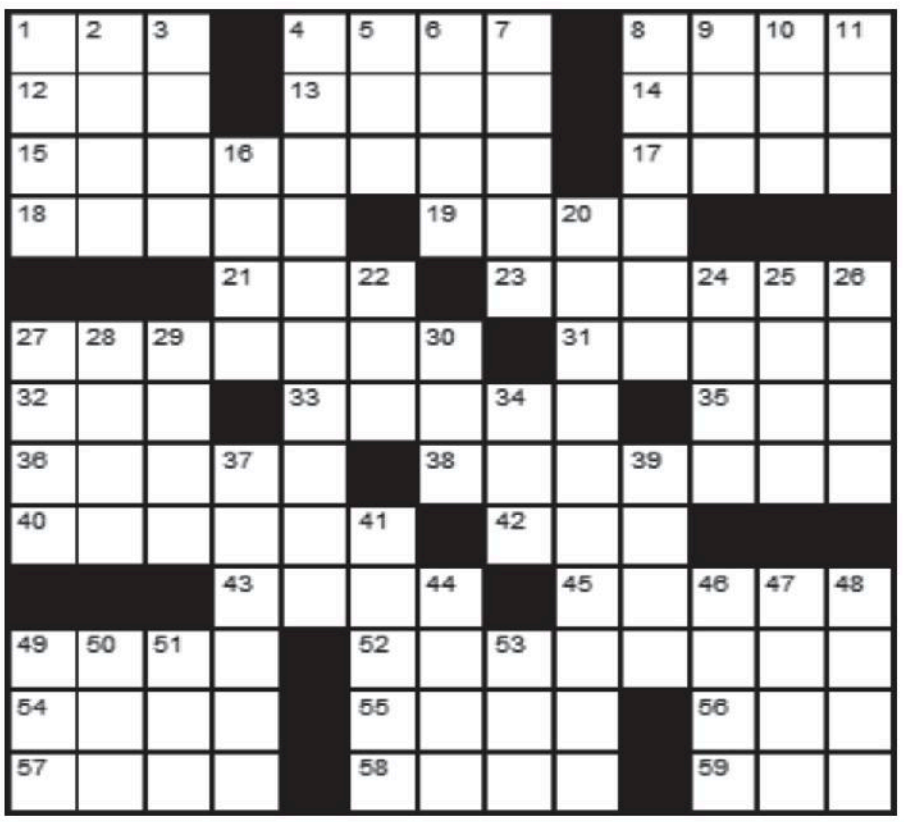
M	A	D	H	Y	A	P	R	A	D	E	S	H
P	A	R		A	M	E	N		E	L	S	E
G	A	Y		K	E	E	P		R	E	E	D

DOWN

1 Foreign exchange regulation act, acronym?
2 Flower part
3 Deep sleep
4 Govern, manage
5 Label or key on a computer keyboard?
6 Theatres in ancient Greece
7 French capital
8 Turkish city
9 Nintendo's gaming console
10 National Chemical Laboratories, acronym?
11 Clique or small group
16 And others, in Latin (2,2)
20 Emphasise
22 Distance Measuring Equip.
24 Incite
25 Shed in which farm animals are kept
26 "No dele" for the printer
27 Reserve; set aside
28 Applications
29 Door fastener
30 And so on.... in short
34 Angle-of-attack, abbr.
37 Spell out
39 Let off steam
41 Root of all evil proverbially
44 "Love _ _" (Beatles song) (2,2)
46 Currency of Kuwait
47 Currier's partner
48 Rip
49 Roman seven
50 Ques. companion
51 The American novelist, 'Edgar Allan.....'
53 ___ Forests : the lion sanctuary in Gujarat?



SUDOKU

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		2	5			4	8	
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Answer to previous puzzle

7	9	2	5	3	6	8	4	1
4	3	1	7	8	2	9	6	5
5	8	6	9	1	4	2	3	7
1	5	4	3	6	9	7	8	2
3	2	7	8	5	1	4	9	6
9	6	8	4	2	7	1	5	3
8	1	3	2	9	5	6	7	4
2	4	9	6	7	3	5	1	8
6	7	5	1	4	8	3	2	9

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

CZZOEL IZJUR JC URZ ZEI TM DOMZ OC DONZ CZZOEL

URZ RTQOPTE JC URZ ZEI TM URZ TFZJE.

TODAY'S CLUE: L EQUALS G

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: People might not get all they work for in this world, but they must certainly work for all they get.

MOVIE LOVERS

NOW SHOWING - SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

Woodlands Theatre **Ph: 2422871**
Junior (K) - 4 Shows

Mahadeshwara Theatre **Mob: 99008-20093**
Junior (K) - 4 Shows

Gayathri Theatre **Ph: 2443568**
Ekka (K) - 4 Shows

Sangam Theatre **Ph: 2520494**
Hari Hara Veera Mallu - Part 1 Sword vs Spirit (Te) - 4 Shows

Prabha Theatre **Mob: 98454-14691**
Maadeva (K) - 4 Shows

Padma Theatre **Ph: 2521923**
Maargan (Ta) - 4 Shows

Lido Theatre **Ph: 2420885**
Thammudu (Te) - 4 Shows

Rajkamal Theatre **Ph: 2423554**
3 BHK (Ta) - 4 Shows

Balaji Theatre **Mob: 98863-25207**
Maalik (H) - 3 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Hari Hara Veera Mallu Part 1 (Te)	(S-1)	9.40 am, 1 pm
		7.10 pm, 10.25 pm
	(S-3)	4.05 pm
Junior (K)	(S-1)	4.15 pm
	(S-2)	11.15 am, 2.15 pm, 10.05 pm
Nilgiris: A Shared Wilerness (E)	(S-2)	9.30 am, 5.20 pm
Su From So (K)	(S-2)	7.10 pm
Saiyaare (H)	(S-3)	9.50 am, 12.55 pm
		7.20 pm, 10.25 pm
Ekka (K)	(S-4)	10 am, 1 pm, 4 pm
		7.05 pm, 10.05 pm

MVC MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Saiyaara (H)	:	10.30 am, 1.30 pm
		6.30 pm, 9.30 pm
Ekka (K)	:	10.35 am, 1.25 pm
		3.50 pm, 6.40 pm
Hari Hara Veera Mallu - Part 1 (Te)	:	11 am, 1.05 pm
		7.15 pm, 9.30 pm
Junior (K)	:	4.20 pm, 7.15 pm

PVR CINEMAS — 4K Dolby 7.1

Nexus Centre City Mall, 2nd Floor. Ph: 0821-230 0402

Saiyaara (H)	:	9 am, 11.35 am, 12.10 pm, 1 pm
		3.20 pm, 4.10 pm, 6.30 pm
		7.20 pm, 9.40 pm 10.10 pm
Nilgiris: A Shared Wilderness (E)	:	9.40 am
Ekka (K)	:	10.20 am, 12.55 pm, 4.15 pm
		7.15 pm, 10.20 pm
Hari Hara Veera Mallu - Part 1 (Te)	:	12 noon, 2.45 pm, 3.20 pm
		6.40 pm, 10 pm, 10.30 pm
Superman (E-3D)	:	1.25 pm
F1: The Movie (E)	:	4 pm
Junior (K)	:	6.05 pm
Jurassic World: Rebirth (E-3D)	:	7.20 pm
Sitaare Zameen Par (H)	:	9.15 pm

1st Floor, Garuda Mall. Mob: 88009 00009

Hari Hara Veera Mallu - Part 1 (Te)	:	9 am, 12.20 pm, 3.40 pm
		7 pm, 10.20 pm
Saiyaara (H)	:	9.20 am, 10.20 am, 12.30 pm
		6.50 pm, 10.20 pm
Ekka (K)	:	9.50 am, 12.55 pm, 4 pm
		7.05 pm, 10.10 pm
Nilgiris: A Shared Wilderness (E)	:	1.20 pm, 8.30 pm
Maadeva (K)	:	3.20 pm
Junior (K)	:	3.40 pm
I Know What You Did Last Summer (E)	:	6.05 pm
Jurassic World: Rebirth (E-3D)	:	10 pm

EVENTS TODAY (JULY 24)

Mysore Science Theatre Festival Trust, Indian Institute of Astrophysics (IIA), Bengaluru and Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement (SVYM): 8th edition of Mysore Science Theatre Festival (MSTF), IIA Director Dr. Annapurni Subramaniam, an astrophysicist of repute and a violinist, inaugurates the Festival with a violin recital, Nilanjan Choudhury, English playwright & novelist from Bengaluru, delivers keynote; 'Ganitha Kunitha' by B.S. Krishnamurthy; Sun Spot Viewing, Women in Science Exhibition and Books Exhibition, **4.30 pm to 6 pm;** Staging of play 'The Trial of Abdus Salam' by Ridhdhi, Bengaluru, written & directed by Nilanjan Choudhury, Sri RamaGovinda Rangamandira, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**

Rangabhoomi Trust Kodagu: 'Coffee with Drama' event, reading of play 'Nijamahatma Baba Saheb,' written by Addanda Cariappa, Panchavati Gardenia Hotel, Lakshmipuram, **5 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Mysuru: Swami Jnanayoganandaji speaks on 'Srimad Bhagavad Gita' in Kannada, Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm to 6.50 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JULY 25)

Marimallappa's PU College: Inauguration of Cultural and Sports Forum by Jayadeva Hospital Cardiologist Dr. Vijayalakshmi Balekundri, Marimallappa's Educational Institutions Hon. Secretary Prof. K.N. Panchaksharaswamy presides, K.R. Hospital Senior Medical Officer Dr. R. Yogeesh and DDPU (in-Charge) M.L. Chidananda Kumar chief guests, College Principal Dr. Anil S. Karabhimagola and Academic Officer Mangala Muddumadappa will be present, Kalamandira, **9.30 am.**

JSS Mysore Urban Haat: State-level Handloom Exhibition & Sale 'Hathkargha Mela,' JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Hebbal Ring Road, **10 am to 9 pm.**

Department of School Education & Literacy (PU), Mysuru Jilla Samajashastra Vedike, Mysuru: 'Samajashastra Kutumba Sambhrama,' releasing of 2nd PU Sociology Handbook, presenting of Pratibha Puraskar and felicitation ceremony, Department Deputy Director M.L. Chidananda Kumar inaugurates, Maharaja's Government PU College, **10 am.**

Mysore Cultural Association, Vismaya Prakashana and KSGH Music and Performing Arts University, Mysuru: Releasing of three books authored by Iythichanda Ramesh Uthappa (*Sindhoora, Mysuru Galli Kathe* and *Mysuru Vruttagala Vruttanta*), Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji graces the occasion, Music University VC Prof. Nagesh V. Bettakote inaugurates, retired Lieutenant Colonel P.S. Ganapathi MVC, Journalist Sudarshan Channangihalli and Karnataka Police Academy (KPA) Asst. Director Sandesh Kumar will release the books, Music University premises, JLB Road, **10.15 am.**

University of Mysore (UoM): Foundation Day, Harish Shah, Chairperson, Harish and Bina Shah Foundation and MD, Signet Capital Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai, Maharashtra, delivers Foundation Day Lecture on 'Learning from Heritage: The Jayalakshmi Vilas Mansion Museum and the University's Role as a Cultural Catalyst,' Prof. N.K. Lokanath, Vice-Chancellor, UoM, presides, Crawford Hall, UoM, **11 am.**

Sanchar Nigam Pensioners Welfare Association, All India BSNL/DOT Pensioners Association, All India BSNL Pensioners Welfare Association, Mysuru and National Co-ordination Committee of Pensioners Association: Staging of demonstration seeking fulfilment of their charter of demands, in front of BSNL office, Jayalakshmipuram, **12.30 pm.**

Mysore Science Theatre Festival Trust, IIA, Bengaluru and SVYM: 8th edition of Mysore Science Theatre Festival (MSTF), talk on 'Astronomy and the successive dethronement of humans' (English) by Dr. Niruj Mohan Ramanujam, Head, Outreach Programmes, IIA; 'Ganitha Kunitha' by B.S. Krishnamurthy; Sun Spot Viewing, Women in Science Expo and Books Expo, **5 pm to 6 pm;** Staging of play 'Hasivu' by Arivu Ranga, Mysuru, written by Santosh Tamrapami, directed by Praveen Belli, Sri RamaGovinda Rangamandira, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**

Yogoda Satsanga Dhyana Kendra: Special meditation programme commemorating Mahavatar Babaji's meeting with Paramahansa Yogananda, Yogoda Satsanga Dhyana Kendra premises, Saraswathipuram, **5.30 pm to 7.30 pm.**

Ganabharathi: 'Chiguru' music programme by young talents, Karnatak Vocal Concert by Lahari Dongre, **6 pm to 7.15 pm;** Hindustani Bansuri (flute) Concert by Srihari Bhat, Veene Seshanna Bhavana, Kuvempunagar, **7.15 pm to 8.30 pm.**

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Book release

Mysuru, July 24- Mysore Cultural Association, Vismaya Prakashana, in association with KSGH Music and Performing Arts University, Mysuru, has organised a programme for the release of three books authored by Iythichanda Ramesh Uthappa — *Sindhoora, Mysuru Galli Kathe* and *Mysuru Vruttagala Vruttanta* — at the Music University premises, JLB Road, tomorrow (July 25) at 10.15 am.

Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji will grace the occasion. Music Varsity VC Prof. Nagesh V. Bettakote will inaugurate. Retired Lieutenant Colonel P.S. Ganapathi MVC, Journalist Sudarshan Channangihalli and Karnataka Police Academy Asst. Director Sandesh Kumar will release the books.

Wins cash reward

Mysuru, July 24- **C. Sai Sohan,** a 5th std. student of JSS Public School, JP Nagar, was awarded Rs. 10,000 cash reward (logical category) under Hoysala and Keladi Chennamma Award scheme at an event held at Valmiki Bhavan in Vijayanagar 2nd Stage recently by Women and Child Development Department for outstanding achievements in 2024-2025.

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